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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PBOR, PK, IN
SUBJECT: INDIAN AND PAK FORCES EXCHANGE OF FIRE REPORTED ON
KASHMIR CEASEFIRE

1. JUNE 25 URDU PRESS REPORTS QUOTE BBC BROADCAST NOTING PAK AND
INDIAN FORCES RECENTLY EXCHANGED GUNFIRE ON KASHMIR CEASEFIRE
LINE (CFL).

2. EMBOFF CHECKED REPORT WITH FOREIGN MINISTRY SOUTH ASIA
DIRECTOR NAJMUDDIN SHAIKH WHOSE SUPERFICIAL UNDERSTANDING WAS
THAT INCIDENT TOOK PLACE JUNE 20 AT UNDISCLOSED LOCATION ON CFL.
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INCIDENT APPARENTLY CAUSED BY INDIANS
OBJECTING TO PAK FORCES PLANTING VEGETABLE GARDEN TOO CLOSE TO,
OR OVER CFL.

3. SHAIKH GAINED HIS DATA PRIMARILY FROM BBC AND VOA REPORTS
WHICH COULD NOT AGREE ON DATE OF INCIDENT AND FAILED TO LOCATE
AREA. HE WAS AWAITING FURTHER INFO FROM GOP SOURCES BUT WAS

DOWNPLAYING ENTIRE INCIDENT AS "REPEAT OF JULY, 1977, INCIDENT
IN SAME GENERAL AREA." HIS INFORMATION INDICATED NO RPT NO
CASUALTIES ON EITHER SIDE DURING THIRTY-MINUTE ENCOUNTER.

4. EMBASSY IS ATTEMPTING TO FOLLOW-UP WITH MILITARY SOURCES AND
WILL REPORT ANY SIGNIFICANT DATA SUPPLEMENTAL TO VOA/BBC
REPORTS.

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